

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Replace the paragraph between lines 20-24 on page 7 of the specification with the following:

--The shielding plate 1 is formed as a housing, which serves in particular for receiving an optoelectronic transceiver 15. The housing-shaped shielding plate 1 is fastened on a printed-circuit board 2, which represents for example a main board of a computer.--